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Snow speeders

Chris Preston and Nicole Gauley just couldn't stay away from school during their Christmas vacation. The pair of 11-year-olds spent last Thursday speeding down the hill behind Archie Stouffer Elementary

School on their GT Racer sleds. The pair joined many other children who enjoyed winter activities during last week's blustery, cold and snowy weather.

Developer tried for washout

by Susan Grober

The trial of two local men, accused of allowing silt from a Main Street excavation site to wash into the Gull River, began last week in Minden.

Brad Bradamore and Larry Hughes appeared before Judge George Inrig last Wednesday in Minden.

The pair were charged last March by the Ministry of Natural Resources under the Fisheries Act for permitting material which could endanger spawning areas to enter the river.

The charges were laid after a washout occurred at a downtown development site, sending a large amount of silt and clay down McKnight Drive, through a marshy area and into the Gull River.

Bradamore is owner and developer of the property, and Hughes is the contractor who had been working on the site.

Defence lawyer Wally Scott made a motion for a stay of proceedings, saying the accused's right to trial within a reasonable time had been infringed in accordance with the Charter of Rights and Freedoms.

The lawyer admitted part of the delay in the beginning could be attributed to Bradamore and Hughes, who made their first appearance on April 6.

"I hadn't been retained at that time, as they'd intended to defend themselves," said Scott. "It wouldn't be proper to say they were prepared to proceed at that time."

Scott added that Bradamore asked for a change of venue because Dean Elliott was the Justice of the Peace who presided over the first appearance. Elliott is chairman of the Planning Advisory Committee, and has been the subject of criticism from the accused.

"One of the accused had difficulty with the presiding magistrate," said Scott. "They were told to return in June. Between that time, they retained me. And it was explained to them there wouldn't be a change of venue."

Scott argued that the wait for trial

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End to church dispute sought

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

The dispute between Reform and United Church congregations in Highland Grove and Gooderham is close to a negotiated settlement.

Representatives from the two churches met last Thursday to discuss their positions and both sides are expressing optimism about the outcome of the meeting.

"It was a very congenial meeting, that was the consensus of everyone at the table," said Bill Huskinson, past chairman of the Lindsay Presbytery of the United Church of Canada.

The two sides met to try and reach an agreement to allow both the United Church congregation and the newly-formed Reform Church congregation access to church buildings in Highland Grove and Gooderham.

The dispute arose after members of the United Church, including lay minister Maurice Bradley, left the organization to join the Reform Church. The members left because of their opposition to the United Church's decision to allow the ordination of practicing homosexuals.

After the split, both sides laid claim to the church buildings in Highland Grove and Gooderham. The United Church changed the locks on the buildings, denying access to the Reform members and the Reform congregation responded by adding their own locks to the buildings and declaring sole ownership of the properties.

As a result of last week's meeting, Huskinson said several recommendations were agreed upon to allow both congregations to operate in the area. The executive of the Lindsay Presbytery will discuss these recommendations at a

meeting this Wednesday.

The United Church still holds title to the church property and ownership of the buildings is not an issue, said Huskinson. He said the two sides are trying to reach an agreement that will allow both congregations to use the facilities without conflict.

"We're all hoping these recommendations will work for the mutuality of both parties."

The details of the tentative agreement aren't being revealed until the Lindsay Presbytery executive reaches a decision, but Bradley shares Huskinson's optimism.

"The meeting went real well," he said. "I have great hopes that we can work toward the kind of resolution that will allow both churches to operate in the community."

Canadian Forum

This week, Rev. Ed Moll says that Canadians should accept the cultural mosaic that our nation has become and strive to welcome people from other parts of the world trying to make a home here.

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7% solution

After a long hard fight in the Senate and despite the objections of many Canadians, the governments Goods and Services Tax is finally here and is the cause of some confusion.

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Spirit of giving

Minden resident Sylvia Howard has donated \$6,000 to the training of seeing-eye dogs and her generosity will allow a blind person to team up with one of these special animals.

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We must accept Canada as a mosaic

This is the second in a series of commentaries in which area residents provide their visions of the future of our nation. This week's commentary is written by Rev. Ed Moll.

Rev. Moll is a United Church minister who has served the Minden charge for four years. He is familiar to Times readers as the author of the column *Directions*. Rev. Moll took a leading role in organizing pro-human rights rallies in Minden during the 1989 weekend that a Neo-Nazi gathering was held on Bobcaygeon Road.

by Edward Moll

Mary Ann Hoberman has written a wonderfully charming poem called "A House is a House for Me". In it she describes all the different kinds of houses that animals live in. From there she goes on to change perspectives and parts — "a glove is a house for a hand" or "a throat is a house for a hum". She notices "the more that you think about houses for things, the more things are houses to you" and that everything you see is "either a house or it lives in a house." She concludes with a simple, sobering, and joyous line, "The earth is a house for us all".

That started me thinking as I wondered how to respond to the question "What is the future of Canada?" The continents are houses for countries. Countries are houses for citizens. Cities and villages are houses for communities of different people who life, and work, and dream.

It is a question loaded with so many others that my thoughts barely scratch the surface of something very deep in all of us: a desire to belong somewhere.

I am the son of Dutch immigrants. I have travelled from St. John's, Newfoundland to Vancouver, British Columbia. I spent three years in Quebec working and learning to speak French. I have been four months overseas in Papua New Guinea, too short to accomplish anything, but long to realize that North Americans are not the only people on this planet. At the moment I call Minden home.

"What is the future of Canada?" and all its derivative questions point to a desire to belong somewhere, to be identified as someone. It is at the same time personal and political. As soon as you say "I belong here" it automatically implies that you do not belong "there". Ask any Canadian who travels abroad why they wear a Canadian flag. The usual response is "So I won't get confused with the Americans!" What has happened? You have made a political gesture. You have drawn a boundary, marked out your territory as sure as your dog



marked out his on the fire hydrant.

The future of Canada will depend to a large extent on how we draw those boundaries, how we define where we belong. The space of belonging can be as small as your skin colour, your ethnic origin, your language, your gender, your religious persuasion; or it can be as large as the community of peoples who inhabit this spinning blue planet. Notice I make no mention of things like patriotism or nationhood. I believe they may have some meaning and purpose in the past to unify a large country when communications and technology were limited and time-consuming. However, I do not think they carry the same kind of freight in a world where an intercontinental business deal can be made in a matter of moments. Indeed patriotism and nationhood can have destructive effects on relationships between countries and peoples. We do not have to look far for examples: Quebec nationalism, the Association of the Preservation of English in Canada, the cross border talks concerning the reduction of acid rain, Iraq's invasion of Kuwait, the hasty response of the United States government, and the acquiescence of the Canadian government to the action of the United States. These are but a few examples of what happens when countries define themselves in terms of recklessness, prejudice, ignorance, greed, power, and sheer folly.

The boundaries of Canada have very much to do the concept of who we are as a people. Preston Manning, the leader of the Reform Party of Canada has said the great enemy of this nation is the hyphen. My father would agree with him. They say we should be Canadian pure and simple. None of this French-Canadian, Italian-Canadian, Greek-Canadian, or Chinese-Canadian stuff should stand. It divides the nation, confuses people, and sin of all sins, costs too much money.

To be Canadian pure and simple is an attractive thought and not without its merits. However, we live in a world where nobody is pure and where nothing is simple. Furthermore, this way of thinking does not describe the reality of who we are. Like it or not, Canada is a mosaic, a tapestry woven with different threads of different designs, strong in some places, weaker in others. The challenge lies not in that the

country is too big (although that certainly influences our viewpoint when we are at the farthest reaches of a centralized form of government). The challenge is that our idea of a people is too small.

This nation, like so many other nations in the earth, is a microcosm of the world. Complex and rich, confusing, contradictory and fractious at times Canada is nevertheless a place where all peoples come to live. Canada is not one people, but many; not one region, but many; not one race, but many; not one faith, but many. The hyphen is merely a way of expressing that reality. The first and perhaps only lesson we have to learn is how to live with each other.

It was no coincidence that in the vacuum-filled discussions of Meech Lake when the leaders of the country were attempting to define who we were, that one of the leaders of the First Nations, Elijah Harper, from one of the poorest reserves in Canada brought the whole thing to a dead stop. It was no coincidence that after the failure of the Meech Lake Accord, attention was focused on the long-standing and frustratingly delayed claims of Native peoples to be recognized as part of the decisions that would affect their lives and our nation's future. It was no coincidence that as the media filled our livingrooms with images of guns, tanks and tension, we were challenged in our hidden and not-so-hidden racist assumptions of native people, and by extension, of anyone we considered different from ourselves. In a summer of discontent we had to come to grips with the notion that our problems lay precisely in the historical conceit that Canada was founded by two people, languages and cultures, to the exclusion of the First Nations.

The nation, this place where we felt we belonged was in our minds being stretched, enlarged, and seen perhaps for the first time as it really was, to much of our discomfort and dismay. We asked, in different forms, the question: "Do they belong here, too?"

The answer was always yes, and always will be.

The future of the peoples of Canada depends on it.

There is an old gospel tune with the words "This world is not my home, I'm just a-passing through." While it expresses a truth that we are more than the place we live in, the sentiment too easily falls into the trap of not getting involved in the realities of living as a citizen of the world. This world, this country is indeed my home, and I absolutely refuse to just pass through without leaving it better for my grandchildren to live in.

Hopefully this contribution and the contributions of others more worthy will help us think and act toward a caring and just nation.

Canada should have less government interference

Editor:

I am extremely interested in your *Canadian Forum* column. I have no reason to believe our government cares to listen to its electorate. Perhaps from your perspective you have contrary evidence?

The importance of this column may be its ability to let politicians and public know the desired political directions that some of their so-called leaders wish to steer us into. I humbly submit my version of a plan to reshape Canada into what it ought to be.

The fundamental requirements for man to survive and prosper are stated in our national anthem: "Our true north strong and free".

It is proper that our anthem represent the fundamental aspects of our society. To reverse this order would be within the normal for Canada.

"Our true north strong"

Any country that recognizes its citizens' rights would conclude that the nation requires national defence to protect us from external aggression. This protection would come in the form of a military with strict orders to hold off foreign attackers only. The act of attacking a foreign country is the cause of war which is never in a country's best interest.

The strong country would also require a strong internal defence to protect its citizens from force-wielding criminals within. The logical method would be an RCMP-type bobby with offices throughout the country.

This enforcement agency of the government would have one function — to stop and hold the imitator of force until an objective tribunal can deal with him. This tribunal court and prison system would also be a proper government function. Now as in our anthem we

would have a land that is strong.

Now for the important part — Freedom.

The right to think and act on one's own conviction. This is a primary requirement that forces me to pay for things I do not desire is taking away my freedom. I would therefore remove any part of our present constitution that empowers

the government with any tax powers beyond the protection agencies mentioned above.

The only addition to our constitution that is needed would be; "Congress shall make no law abridging the freedom of production and trade." Thank you.

From the north shore of Bob Lake,
Jim Battarbee.

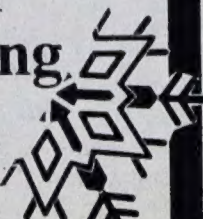


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THE GST: Local businesses and consumers are trying to come to grips with the tax

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

Dazed and confused.

That's how many local consumers and retailers are feeling after being subjected to the federal government's Goods and Services Tax (GST) for one week.

Business owners are trying to deal with price changes, new accounting practices and registering for the tax with the government.

Shoppers study price tags and receipts trying to figure out what items have gone up in price, what items have gone down in price and how much the seven per cent tax is going to hurt their pocket books.

The GST came into effect on Jan. 1, and applies to most goods and services. It replaces the 13 per cent Federal Sales Tax that was charged against manufactured goods.

Finance Minister Michael Wilson says the tax is necessary to make Canadian products more competitive in foreign markets and will also generate an estimated \$2 billion a year in revenue to help fight the deficit.

Opponents of the GST call the tax regressive because it will hurt lower and middle income families. There has also been widespread backlash to the methods used by the government to bring the tax into law, including the appointment of eight additional senators to ensure passage through the Upper House.

Caught in the middle are the businesses and consumers trying to deal with the changes on a day-to-day basis.

"It's a pain in the ass," said Minden Home Hardware owner John Petney. As one of the largest retailers in the county, Petney says it's not the extra accounting that causes the problems, it having to re-price every item in his store.

"It's a horrendous task," he said. Because the products sold in his hardware store carried the old manufacturers' tax, Petney says his prices will decrease, but the new tax will have a different effect on each item.

Many consumers are under the impression that when the old 13 per cent tax is removed and the new seven per cent tax applied, the net result should be a six per cent decrease in prices. Petney says this isn't the case, and he blames the government for not better informing the public.

Under the old system, a manufacturer who produced an item at a cost of \$800 would be charged the 13 per cent tax and have to pay \$104. If the same item sells in stores for \$1,000, it is now taxed at 7 per cent and the tax paid is \$70. The net result is a decrease in tax of only three per cent.

Petney says, overall, he doesn't expect retail prices to change that dramatically. Where the GST will hurt the most, he says, is when it's applied to services that weren't previously taxed.

Where large retailers like Petney have the advantage of large suppliers and bulk purchases, smaller retailers are still waiting to see what effect the new tax will have on their products.

Wayne Henderson, owner of the Storeroom natural food store in Minden, says he's still trying to find out from many of his suppliers how the tax will apply to the goods they provide him.

"Until I get a new supply of a product, I don't know what the base price is now that the federal sales tax has been removed and the GST applied," he said.



Kinmount resident Keith Stata expressed his opinion of the tax

Stores have to remit the GST they collect four times a year. Henderson says he's hoping the forms that are sent out by the government will make payment of the tax fairly straight-forward.

Henderson is also learning to deal with some of the peculiarities of the tax that apply to retail food stores. For instance, a single serving of yogurt is considered a snack and has GST added. However if six or more of the same containers are bought at the same time, the tax no longer applies. The same rule also applies to such items as donuts and muffins.

Peanut-lovers may be surprised to find out that a bag of salted peanuts is considered a snack and the GST is added to the price, but if the nuts are unsalted they are considered a basic grocery with no GST added.

Henderson's not alone in not fully understanding the applications of the tax. Andy Campbell, manager of the Haliburton County Development Corporation (HCDC), says 75 per cent of the business people he's talked with are confused about some aspect of the GST.

Details like whether or not the tax should be included in prices on menus or advertisements are what stores and restaurants are wrestling with, says Campbell.

Although the GST didn't become law until mid-December, the government asked businesses to register for the tax in the summer and fall.

Campbell says many business owners delayed registering for the GST and waited to see if Liberal senators would be successful in their bid to delay the legislation past the Jan. 1 implementation date. Those same business owners are now "scrambling" to register with the government. Nationally, there are about 45,000 unregistered companies.

Kathy Outram, an accountant with the

HCDC, says Haliburton's economy is made up of mostly small businesses and owners are having more trouble dealing with the tax than larger companies.

For a business owner who does his own bookkeeping, Outram says the implementation of the tax will be costly in terms of the extra time it will take to handle the additional accounting.

And although businesses with annual sales less than \$30,000 aren't required to collect the tax on their goods or services, they will still be required to pay it when buying supplies or services for their operation. The net effect will be a seven per cent increase in expenses.

Chamber of Commerce president Lyn Stevens, who also owns the Red Umbrella Inn, says it's difficult to judge the effect the tax will have on the tourism industry.

"Accommodation rates will go up seven per cent, and it's another tax to collect," she said. "But it's unknown what effect it will have until people get used to it."

The private sector is not the only area trying to cope with the GST. Local municipal offices also have to adjust their accounting as they pay and collect the tax on goods and services they purchase and sell.

Stanhope Township has hired their accountants to conduct a study of the municipality's bookkeeping and suggest recommendations for handling the GST. As well, clerk Gerald Bain has attended a number of seminars designed to prepare municipal employees for the tax.

Townships have to collect the tax when they provide certain services to ratepayers, for instance installing a culvert across a driveway. In addition, Bain says the services provided at the Stanhope Airport, like hanger rentals and the sale of fuel, will also have the tax added.

The GST will also have to be paid when the township buys goods and services.

Some of the purchases will be eligible for a 100 per cent rebate, some will have a partial rebate and on others the township will have to absorb the total cost.

"It's a real challenge at this time," says Bain. "Hopefully, once we get all the information, I don't think it will be all that difficult." Stanhope has registered for the tax with the government, but depending on the recommendations from the accountant's study, Bain said the township can still unregister. He estimates it will cost Stanhope between \$4,000 and \$5,000 to get in a position to collect the tax and apply for rebates.

While some business owners have grudgingly accepted the GST as a fact of life, some are a little more outspoken in their opposition.

Keith Stata is a Kinmount contractor who operates the Highlands Theatre during the summer. During the holiday season, Stata's billboard along Highway 121 had a message which read, "Coming Jan 1, to a wallet near you, Brian's Gouge and Screw Tax."

Stata says the tax is another example of the government trying to turn business into tax collectors and he criticizes Revenue Minister Otto Jelinek's recent statement that the only businesses who are having trouble with the tax are those that haven't registered.

"It's absolute not right," said Stata. "It's going to cost businesses to collect it because we're not being paid for the time it's going to take."

Some consumers are even less kind in their attitude towards the new tax. One Storeroom customer complained that with the country in the midst of a recession, the timing was wrong for a new tax. He also complained about the government's "ramming" the GST into law.

"The country's going to hell," he said. "It's not a democracy anymore."

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If there was ever a good year to have a municipal election, 1991 is it.

By the time local voters go to the polls in November they will have had to opportunity to see how their elected officials handle some really major issues.

At the county level, council is going to be dealing with waste management, economic development and the official plan, all of which will have a profound effect on the future of the area.

In addition to the usual platitudes, platforms and promises, incumbent candidates will have to defend their positions on these important issues and be forced to demonstrate some grace under pressure.

This year will also challenge the fiscal responsibility of councillors and school board trustees. For the past two years, politicians have enjoyed a strong economic climate when drawing up their budgets.

With the county feeling the effects of a recession however, local ratepayers will be in no mood to pay for luxury items or unnecessary projects.

Councillors and board members will have to prove their ability to identify priorities and defer those expenses which can wait for more prosperous times.

Warden Carol Puffer is to be commended for her position that major decisions should not be delayed despite the November elections.

The real test of a politician's worth is the capacity to put tough decisions ahead of political expediency.

By and large, residents of the county have been well served by their municipal councillors and trustees since 1988, and there is no reason to doubt their abilities to meet the challenges ahead.

The true judges of their performance will be the voters when ballots are marked this fall.



Sometimes a killer joke can be just that

A laugh is the opposite of a breakdown. It's a breakup.

Bernard Slade

I see from my newspaper that Sweden is set to put its civil servants through an improvement course. They are going to be taught how to laugh.

"A bureaucrat works a lot with laws and contracts" says Ulla-Christin Svensson, the woman in charge of the humour course, "That leaves him very much controlled and stops him from really opening up."

I think it's a wonderful idea which can only improve the average Swede's lot. Think of the merry peals of laughter ringing out across the blue-grey snowscape of that gloomy, introspective land.

"We confront problems better by being happy" Ms. Svensson says, and I know she's absolutely right.

Just imagine for a moment the merry peals of laughter ringing out across the blue-grey snowscape

Black 'n White

by Arthur Black

of our gloomy, introspective land. Meech Lake, the GST, the Quebec Sulk, the Leaf slump, — this country could use a laugh.

There's a reason a deep hearty belly laugh feels so good and it's not just because it breaks the tension or relieves the monotony. Laughter is therapeutic. It really is good for a body (or a country).

There's an old saw that goes: "he who laughs last laughs best." A wise physician once amended that to: "he who laughs, lasts." It's true. Laugh, and you'll live longer, not to mention better.

Well ... not always, I suppose.

Allen Ginsberg, the American poet, claims he

nearly died from an overdose of nitrous oxide (laughing gas) — but given the benign nature of laughing gas and the poet's penchant for high melodrama, Ginsberg may have been pinching a little poetic licence.

Then there's the case of Zeuxis, a Greek painter who lived back around 500 B.C. Zeuxis was commissioned by a wealthy and somewhat eccentric patron to paint a portrait of a well-known local bag lady. Zeuxis kept his part of the bargain. He rendered a portrait so wickedly hilarious that it made him — the artist — smile. Then snicker. As a matter of fact it made him laugh out loud. Then he guffawed and whooped and roared and gasped for breath and looked at his portrait and roared some more and ...

Died. Zeuxis laughed so hard he burst a blood vessel in his head. He literally died laughing.

I guess the bag lady had the last laugh after all. Which is one more reason to laugh every chance

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Opinion

The Times welcomes signed letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. Short letters are most likely to be chosen for publication, but the use of any material is at the discretion of the editor. The editor reserves the right to edit letters to meet space requirements, for clarity or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy.

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Increased control of dumps might lead to more littering

Editor:

I'm disappointed and concerned to read in the December 17 *Times* that Dysart Council wants to control who uses their dump and what is put in it.

As a hiker, I can tell you, and them, that from what I've seen people dump anywhere and everywhere and it will surely get worse with the restrictions they're proposing.

In his column on December 24 your writer Arthur Black refers to such people as "brain-dead bozos" and it's obvious to me there are plenty of those in Haliburton County.

I'm surprised Dysart Council doesn't want to keep the area as clean and beautiful as possible.

Lea Quackenbush,
Mountain Lake.

New Year's party a success

Editor:

We attended the New Year's Eve party at the arena in Minden which was put on by the Minden Fire Fighters. It was a great evening — I sure had sore feet the next day from dancing almost every dance. But what I noticed most was the friendly people — at midnight, everyone was saying "Happy New Year"

whether they knew you or not. Small town Canada — you can't beat it. Another thing that I noticed — the few firemen who were actually working at the dance. Most were just enjoying themselves but a few were working hard. Which kind of fireman are you?

Yvonne Penney,
Carnarvon.

Reader resents French greeting

Editor:

As an Englishman, I resent the Ontario government's crude act of holiday Frenchship in plastering LCBO outlets with the French word NOEL in place of

the traditional English XMAS. In reply, I send my own four-letter message to Ontario drinkers: QUIT!

Pete Stickland,
Harcourt

The Times welcomes signed letters on topics of interest to our readers



Cracked ice

Susan Grober photo

December weather

by Phil Graham

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Average high	1.5	34.7
Average low	-8.2	17.2
Average for the month	-3.3	26.0
Average for last Dec.	-15.2	4.6
Highest temperature Dec. 22	9.0	48.2
Lowest temperature Dec. 14	-19.5	-3.0
Snow	69 cm	27 in.
Rain	67.4 mm	2.6 in.
Total precipitation	136.4 mm	5.3 in.
Total precipitation for last Dec.	61 mm	2.4 in.
Snow on ground Dec. 31	12 cm	5 in.
Snow on ground last Dec. 31	26 cm	10 in.
Total snowfall Nov. & Dec.	81 cm	32 in.

Days with snow or rain 18
Days with freezing rain 2
Days mostly sunny 9

December 1989 took the record as the coldest in the past ten years. This December was probably one of the wettest in years, with double the precipitation over December 1989 and much warmer -15.2 versus -3.3. Very variable weather and temperature, very cold one day probably rain within the next 24 hours. Most lakes froze over but very thin. Last year the lakes were frozen well before Christmas.

Trivia: Regarding Mr. Stickland's letter to the Editor — ice pellets versus hail. Very interesting and worth an explanation. May I explain briefly. Ice

pellets are the result of rain that leaves the clouds at a warmer temperature than the air at, or near, ground level. As the rain falls, it cools down and gets to ground level in the form of frozen rain drops or ice pellets.

Hail is completely different, usually happens during severe thunder storms in the summer and could be any size from peas to golf balls or tennis balls, and in irregular shapes. Probably starts as a rain drop but goes up, instead of down, due to the convection in the thunder storm. It grows bigger and larger due to the severity and height of the top of the storm. Hail stones finally build to such size that gravity finally causes them to fall to the ground. Whichever type, ice pellets or hail, they make a "hail" of a mess and can cause severe damage.

"How did you enjoy the play, Mrs. Lincoln?"

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you get — because you never know which one's going to be your last.

General John Sedgwick didn't, when he stuck his head over the parapet during the Civil War, snorted at the rebel snipers and scoffed: "Why, they couldn't hit an elephant at this dist..."

A few weeks later, in Washington, another "last

laugh" occurred during the production of a play called *Our American Cousin*. At one point in the play, the heroine calls for a shawl to protect her from the draft. The actor who was supposed to fetch the shawl replied instead "You are mistaken, Miss Mary, the draft has already been stopped by order of the President."

All very impromptu, all very clever, because President Lincoln had, in fact cancelled the draft of

American soldiers that week.

Theatre patrons craned to look at the Presidential box. Yes, President Lincoln was laughing appreciatively.

Unbeknownst to all, another actor was at that moment, creeping towards the President's box, muzzle-loaded derringer in hand.

John Wilkes Booth was about to insure that President Lincoln had had his last laugh.

Knife-wielding man threatened suicide

by Susan Grober

A Haliburton man was found guilty last week for brandishing a knife in public and threatening to kill himself in a Satanic mass.

Lorne James Cummings, 49, pleaded not guilty to the charge of carrying a weapon for a purpose dangerous to the public peace when he appeared in provincial court in Minden last Wednesday.

Judge George Inrig put Cummings on one year's probation, and ordered him to take his prescribed medication for paranoid schizophrenia on a regular basis.

On November 22, Cummings displayed a sharp Bowie knife in three public places in Haliburton Village and said he would use it to commit suicide. Cummings also said any police officer trying to stop the act would wind up dead.

Crown Attorney Karen Johnston's first witness was Marie Emmerson of the Haliburton Post Office.

She said after Cummings entered the post office at 3:30 p.m. and yelled for his mail, he made reference to his suicidal intent.

"Do you know what this is? It's a blade, and I'm going to use it at midnight in a Satanic mass," Emmerson recalled Cummings saying.

"I figured if he was going to kill himself, he was going to kill a cop, too," she said.

Emmerson said the man then stood by

the letter-drop and talked to himself, saying "I'm serious, too. I suppose you're going to call the cops. I hope you do. I'd like to take one of them down with me."

Madeline Peacock also worked at the post office at the time, and said Cummings showed her the knife and told her he would use it to kill himself.

"It was kind of scary," said Peacock, describing the blade as being about six inches long with a curved end.

Andrea Johnson, a clerk at Guardian Drugstore, testified that Cummings asked for a prescription later that afternoon.

"I went to the back to deal with other people because he makes me nervous," said Johnson.

Johnson said she watched as Cummings demonstrated to the pharmacist how he would use the knife by motioning with the blade across his neck.

"See this knife right here? This is what I'm going to do with it. I'm going to cut my throat... It would be a lot easier than getting someone else to do it," she remembered him say.

Johnson said Cummings repeatedly asked for medication, but had no prescription, and finally walked out of the store.

Nelda Cully, a receptionist for Dr. Abrahamse in Haliburton, said Cummings showed up at the office between 3:15 and 3:30 asking to get a prescription filled.

Cully said as he was leaving, Cummings "put his right hand on the door and opened his coat with his left hand, and I

saw the knife in the sheath. He said, 'See, this is what I'll use to kill myself. Now do you want to call the police?' He kicked the door open and left."

The four people in the waiting room were "very upset" about the incident, she said.

Jonathon Franklin Hicks said Cummings visited him that day, appearing hyperactive and agitated. Hicks lives with Cummings' brother, Don.

Hicks noticed the knife in Cummings' boots, took it out, and threw it in a corner.

"I knew Lorne was probably off his medication and of unsound mind," said Hicks. "I was quite concerned. Lorne had said he was going to destruct himself."

Hicks said he's known Cummings for years. "When he's on medication, he's

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Local woman donates \$6,000 to guide dog training

Sylvia Howard's generosity will enable a blind person to team up with a seeing-eye dog

by Susan Grober

After Sylvia Howard searched long and hard for a needy charity, eventually her idea to offer a donation had gone to the dogs.

Seeing-eye dogs, that is.

The 84-year-old Minden resident recently donated \$6,000 to Canine Vision Canada, an Oakville organization dedicated to helping blind and visually impaired people achieve greater mobility through the use of guide dogs.

Howard's donation will provide a blind person with the entire service of obtaining a guide dog.

"You get letters from all different places wanting money, and you don't know if they're authentic or not," says Howard. "I was looking for an organization that I could depend on to use the money for the purpose I wanted."

So Howard investigated Canine Vision Canada, which sent her literature with information dating back to its beginning in Oakville. "It's quite interesting," she says.

In 1983, the Lions Foundation of Canada undertook the project of developing a national guide dog training school in Canada.

"Before that, they only trained police dogs and drug sniffers in Canada," says Howard. "Here, you had to get a guide dog in from the States."

The project was completed in 1985, with an old, renovated public schoolhouse

as the site for a school which will eventually train 120 teams each year.

At no cost, the program provides participants with round-trip transportation to the school from anywhere in Canada, team-training with the dog, and room and board.

Puppies from professional breeders are placed in foster homes for a one year socializing period, and are returned to the school after this time.

Generally, purebred German Shepherds, Labrador Retrievers and Golden Retrievers are chosen because of their trainability, stability, friendliness, intelligence, size, and willingness to work.

"Not all the pups are usable," says Howard. "They're just like children. Some of them just don't want to go to school."

At the school, the dogs go through an extensive training program, and then through a final test to ensure their capabilities as a guide dog.

"They say that without the harness, these dogs are just friendly pets. But when they put the harness on, they're all business," says Howard.

Along with being introduced to the harness, the dogs are taught how to pull steadily, and how to respond to a combination of hand signals and verbal commands such as forward, left and right.

The dogs also learn how to walk on sidewalks, avoid obstacles overhead and on the ground, to stop at every curb, to cross intersections in a straight line, and



Sylvia Howard

to enter and exit elevators, escalators and revolving doors.

Blind students who have been accepted into the program take up residence at the school for a 26-day training period.

The students go through a similar rigorous training. And if they fail the final test, they don't get a dog.

Once the match is made, the student and the dog become inseparable. The dog shares the student's quarters and is a constant companion. The student is responsible for feeding, grooming and total care of the dog. Together they are a team.

Supported entirely by public contributions, Canine Vision Canada doesn't charge visually impaired people for the trained animals.

"It is a worthwhile cause, and I hope more people will contribute," says Howard, who contacted the Better Business Bureau before making her donation. "If only half the money goes to a cause, well I won't give to that."

A \$35 donation will vaccinate a dog, \$75 will buy a harness, leash and equipment, \$200 will help pay for medical costs for x-ray, physical and neutering, \$425 will pay for one blind student's room and board during training, \$750 pays one-eighth of the total cost, \$1,500 pays for one-quarter, and \$6,000 pays for the entire service.

The organization will contact Howard when the recipient of the money she donated has completed the program.

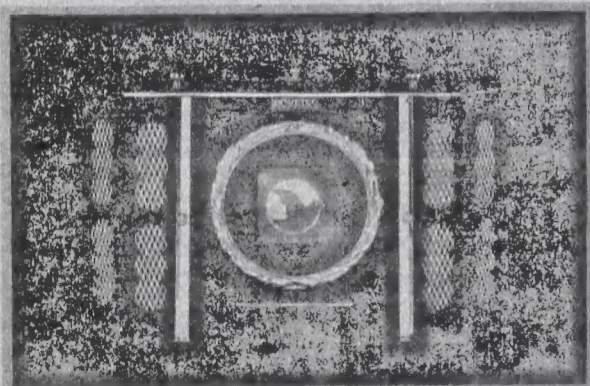
Howard hopes to visit the school when she has a holiday with a nephew in Burlington. "I'd like to get a better idea of what it's like."

Howard's donation was made in the memory of her two dearest friends, Dr. Agnes Jamieson and Olga Myles, who have passed away. "I did this for them."

And there's certainly no doubt her donation will provide a happy memory for a needy person.

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Car theft charges dismissed because of court delays

The following cases were heard by Judge George Inrig last Wednesday in provincial court in Minden. Karen Johnston acted as Crown Attorney.

Car theft charge dismissed

Charges against a 19-year-old Haliburton man accused of stealing a car were dismissed because of unreasonable delay.

On April 6, 1990, Sean Douglas Billings was charged with stealing a 1984 car worth over \$1,000.

The information was sworn on April 6. A bail hearing was held April 9. And Billings' first appearance was on May 4.

On May 1, seven months from the trial date, Billings' lawyer sent a letter saying the accused was not prepared to waive his rights and asking that the matter be fast-tracked.

Judge Inrig decided to stay the proceedings, saying the delay was neither the fault of the prosecution nor of the defence, but caused by a backlog in the court system.

Over the limit, but not impaired

A 24-year-old Ottawa man lost his licence for driving with a blood-alcohol level exceeding the legal limit, but had an impaired driving charge withdrawn.

On October 21, Robert Bruce McKay was stopped at a RIDE check at Highway 118 in Dysart. After failing the Alert test, McKay was taken to the OPP detachment office for a breathalyzer.

McKay tested at 130 mg of alcohol in 100 ml of blood — the legal limit is 80 mg.

However, McKay did well on the

In the courts

finger-to-nose and balance tests, court was told. These tests to determine whether his ability was impaired showed the effects of the alcohol were slight.

Judge Inrig fined McKay and prohibited him from driving for a one year period.

Man told to control anger

An unemployed 19-year-old must pay a total of \$974 in fines and restitution after pleading guilty to two charges of mischief under \$1,000.

On the way home from a party in Bicroft on September 30, Derek Frederick Dewaard kicked the rear of a truck because he was upset over a fight with his girlfriend. Damage to the truck is estimated at \$228.96.

Dewaard later elbowed-in two panes of glass at Cardiff Variety, causing an estimated \$360.32 damage.

Five other youths with the accused provided a statement, and his wallet containing identification was found at the variety store.

Dewaard has previous convictions for theft, and was on probation for mischief at the time of the incident.

He told Judge Inrig he is now receiving counselling for alcohol abuse, and is on social assistance after quitting school in December.

The judge placed Dewaard on one

year's probation. Along with the restitution, Dewaard must pay fines of \$135 for the truck, and \$250 for the window.

Judge Inrig also advised him to take counselling for anger control.

Dangerous driving charge dismissed

Charges against Marni Cheetham-Rennick, 30, for dangerous driving causing bodily harm and driving without a seat belt were dismissed because of an unreasonable delay for trial.

The woman was charged on June 24, 1989 after an accident in Sherbourne Township which injured Wayne Albert Johnston.

Her lawyer admitted a delay last October is attributable to the accused, because she had a problem paying his retainer fee.

But most of the wait "is endemic of the systemic delay which we are seeing in this particular jurisdiction," he said.

The trial was adjourned when the lawyer requested disclosure of information from the Crown Attorney's office. And a further adjournment was called last June when

the Crown's witness failed to appear in court.

The Crown Attorney asked that the case proceed, saying the trial was delayed in the very beginning because the accused was not prepared to set a trial date.

"This is a very serious charge," said Crown Attorney Johnston. "It's not the most complex of cases, but it certainly isn't the simplest of cases, either."

Judge Inrig decided to stay the proceedings.

Waterskier unsupervised

Heidi Matijevac, 24, of Toronto, appeared in court after being charged this summer for operating a boat towing a waterskier with no other person in the boat to supervise.

Constable Mike Maybee laid the charge on July 15 when he was on Marine Patrol on Winona Lake in Dysart. Matijevac pleaded guilty to the charge.

"I operated a water vehicle before, but never waterskied," she told the judge. She

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Man fined for forging wife's signature on cheque

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said her boyfriend told her there was no problem if she operated the boat and towed him behind.

Because Matijevac was subjected to the costs of two trips to Minden as a result of the charge, Judge Inrig granted an absolute discharge.

Signature forged on government cheque

James Gazell of Guilford Township pleaded guilty to charges of forging his estranged wife's signature on a \$510 Child Tax Credit cheque from the federal government.

The 32-year-old man stayed in Eagle Lake after separating from his wife, who moved to Toronto.

When the cheque was mailed to the wife at her former residence last August, Gazell signed her name to it and cashed it at the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce in Haliburton.

Mrs. Gazell later contacted the government office about the missing cheque, and a search was executed. She received a replacement cheque, and the bank was debited \$510.

Crown Attorney Johnston said when Gazell was interviewed by police, he said he felt the forgery was wrong, even though "half of the money was his, anyway."

Gazell said he deserves part of the money because his five-year-old daughter lives back and forth between her two parents.

A conviction was registered, and Gazell must pay \$510 restitution to the bank, as well as a \$335 fine and surcharge. He will also be on one year's probation.

Driver's licence suspended

David E. Gervais, 27, of Scarborough had his licence revoked for one year for impaired driving on August 31.

Gervais' Jeep Cherokee was followed by police at 11:45 p.m. after he was spotted driving more than 120 km an hour in Stanhope Township he was stopped by police 15 minutes later at Highway 118 and County Road 11.

A breathalyzer test at the OPP detachment determined Gervais had 154 mg of alcohol in his blood. The legal limit is 80 mg in 100 ml of blood.

A conviction will be registered, and Gervais must pay a \$700 fine.

Canoe had no lifejackets

A 17-year-old has been charged under the Young Offender's Act for operating a canoe without a life jacket or life-saving device for either of the boat's two

passengers.

Constable Mike Maybee laid the charge on July 27 when he was on Marine Patrol on Winona Lake in Dudley Township.

Judge Inrig fined the accused \$53.

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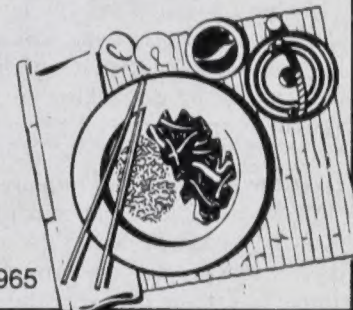
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David Lake - 1989 Yamaha Ovation, blue, Ontario licence 620469; 1989 Yamaha Ovation, blue, Ontario licence 620468.

Charged break and enter

Michael Mueller, 18, of Haliburton has been charged with break enter and

Police briefs

theft after police investigated a break-in on Maple Lake. A minimal amount of property was taken and recovered. Mueller is scheduled for court February 1, 1991.

Fatal fire

A fire at Oxtongue Lake on December 24 has claimed one life. Robert Frank Moore, 48, died as a result of a fire in a frame structure. Cause of the fire is still under investigation by the Fire Marshall's office.

Snow vehicle accident

Lois Holmes of Willowdale was injured in a snow vehicle accident late December 30 when she lost control of the machine on a corner on the Sugar Bush Road.



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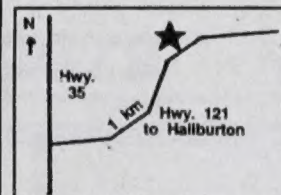
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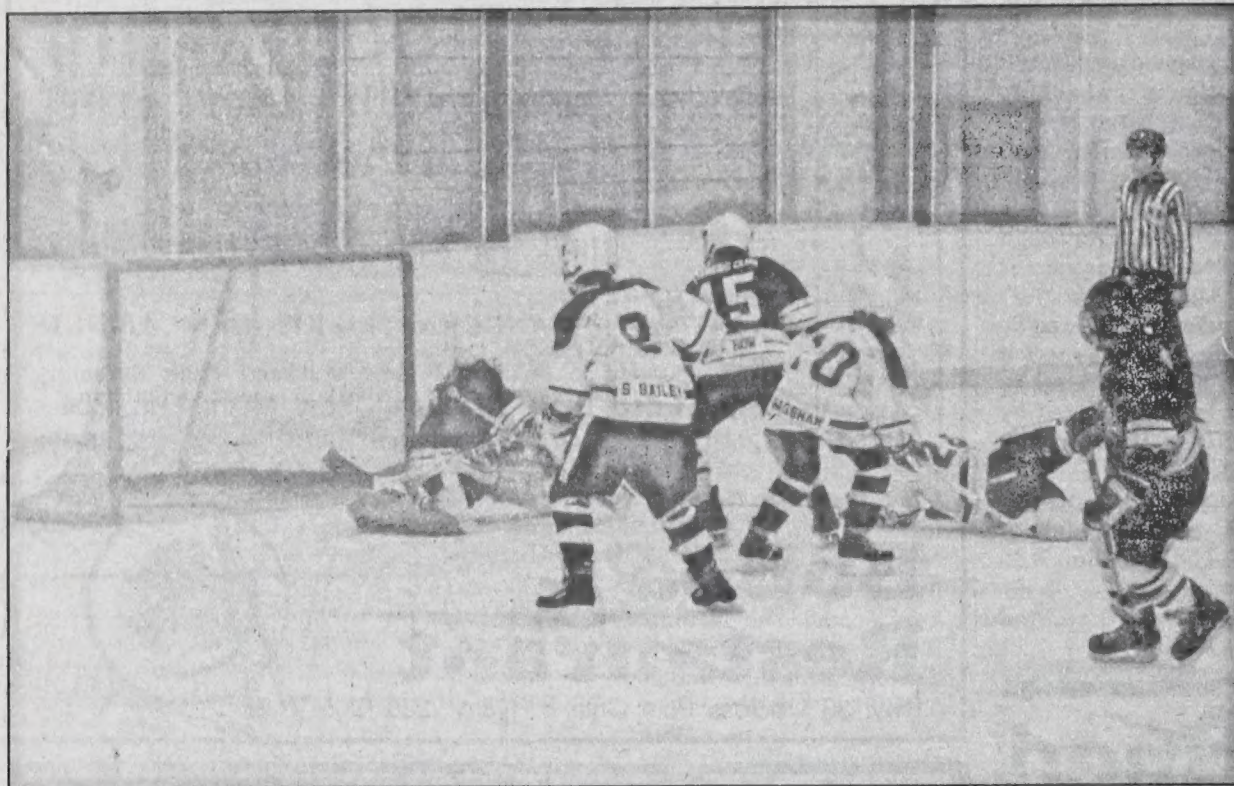
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Sports

Catch The Drift!
Minden's annual
Sled Dog Derby
January 12 and 13



Tommy Bagshaw, Scott Bailey and Erin Tomlinson rush the Bobcaygeon net during the Pee Wees 2-0 victory on Jan. 3. It was the

team's first shut-out of the season. Scoring for Minden were Rob Reid and Scott Bailey, who netted the puck with just 34 seconds left.

Minden beats Cannington by a 5-1 score

Minden Tri-County Pee Wees fell behind a strong Cannington team Saturday evening December 29th when Cannington opened the scoring at 8:40 of the first period. This proved the period's only scoring.

The second period remained scoreless and with 1:58 left to play Scott Carpenter was alert to bang home a Todd Redgrave rebound and tied the game at 1-1.

With just four seconds left in the second, Arron Belton connected on a Marty Dettman pass, and the second period ended 2-1 for Minden.

Minden came out strong in the third period with Todd Redgrave scoring at 13:54 from Arron Belton. Redgrave scored again at 9:49 on a hard shot, unassisted.

Arron Belton played a strong game and was rewarded with his second goal at 8:41 on a Marty Dettman pass. Marty played his usual strong game both offensively and defensively and is a work horse who inspires his team mates.

This rounded out the scoring, with Travis Willison playing in only his second game in goal this season, stonewalled Cannington with excellent netminding for the final two periods.

It was a fast game, with all the players contributing a little more this outing.

Tom Neville and Benji Crego were sharp on defence. Chris Fittzell made some nice defensive moves as well.

Minden Tri-County Pee Wees travel to Woodville this evening for an 8:30 game. Good luck guys.

Pee Wees shut out Bobcaygeon

by Lisa Bagshaw

On Saturday, December 29, Minden OMHA Pee Wees were host to Fenelon Falls. This was a very fast-paced game with many penalties being given out to both teams.

Fenelon opened the scoring in the middle of the second period, but Minden managed to hold them off for the remainder of the

game.

In the third period, Minden's Jeff Wray managed to slip an unassisted goal past Fenelon's goalie making the final score 1-1.

On Thursday, January 3, Minden travelled to Bobcaygeon for an evening game. The previous Thursday, Minden defeated Bobcaygeon in an exhibition game 11-3. However, Bobcaygeon was ready this

time.

The play went from one end of the ice to other with both goalies receiving several shots on net. Minden kept the pressure on and were rewarded with only 2:07 left in the third period when Rob Reid slammed in an unassisted goal.

With only 34 seconds left in the game, Minden's Jeff Wray managed to get another one by Bobcay-

geon's goaltender on a pass from Scott Bailey to make the final score 2-0 for Minden.

This was Minden's first shut-out game of the season.

Sled dog organizers change kids's race

Since 1985, the Minden Techni-cal Challenge has been a high spot on the local winter calendar. This year's race, on January 12th and 13th, is sponsored once again by Martin Pet Foods of Elmira, Ontario, who are providing a purse of \$25,100 (the largest in Canada) along with additional support of \$16,000.

The kid-and-mutt race is a regular feature of the Minden race, held on Saturday afternoon after the official heats. Coming at the end of a busy and exciting day, it has occasionally provided race organizers

with a few additional problems. Chief among them, according to Race Governor Val Lougheed, is the fact that only the children of mushers usually have their own dogs and sleds.

"This has meant a lot of scrambling at the last minute to try to find dogs and sleds for youngsters who don't have their own," she said. "It has also meant that some dogs have been asked to run four and five times and, frankly, at the end of the day, after working hard in their own classes, the dogs are tired and need to rest. Because we've had

an open-ended registration, it has also meant that some children who thought they were going to get a chance to race have been disappointed because there were no dogs for them."

To overcome these problems, race organizers have made some changes to the kid-and-mutt format. This year, all registrants must have their own dog and their own sled. Only 20 registrations will be accepted (on a first come, first served basis). Deadline for registrations will be the

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Frozen fun

Neighbours Darnell Gilbert, 13, and Karen Johnson, 8, sliced the ice last week on a skating rink situated between their homes on Bobcaygeon Road. Others enjoyed free skating just down the road at the arena.

Kid race popular at Derby

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moment the last four-dog musher crosses the finish line Saturday afternoon (about 3:15 p.m.). As always, the race will run up Main Street from the bridge to the finish line at the log chute where the official heats begin.

The kid-and-mutt race is one of the attractions that make the Minden Technical Challenge a great family weekend. And there are lots of other things to do. Racing starts both Saturday and Sunday at 10 a.m. The Main Street start and finish gives everyone a great view of the action and spectators are welcome to go out onto the trail as well. "Drifter", the mascot of the Minden Technical Challenge, will be on hand to greet spectators. Kari Siirala of Carnarvon will once again be providing everyone, young and old, with a chance to try the new sport of kick-sledding.

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Municipal elections won't delay major county issues

Reeve Carol Puffer says council has a full agenda with waste management and official plan

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

Local residents will elect new municipal councils this November, but that's no reason for current councillors to defer major decisions says Haliburton County's warden.

"We tend to see in any election year a tendency to postpone major decisions," Lutterworth Reeve Carol Puffer said in an interview on Friday. "In my opinion, who better to deal with these issues than the experienced councillors."

One of the biggest issues facing the county is the development of a County

Official Plan. While all municipalities agree on the importance of a county-wide official plan, Puffer says councillors still have to decide what form the new plan should take.

Next week, municipal councillors will attend a series of meetings to explain the proposed official plan and allow the individual councils the opportunity for input.

Councillors will have the choice of adopting either a one-tier or two-tier approach for the official plan. With the one-tier system, the county plan will stand alone while the two-tier system will

also incorporate the official plans of individual municipalities.

Each municipal council has been asked to pass a resolution re-affirming its commitment to the concept of a county-wide official plan. Puffer says next week's meetings will provide councillors with information that will assist them in choosing between the two structures and passing resolutions in support of the plan.

Once the structure of the county official plan has been decided, terms of reference will be drawn up and work will begin on developing the plan itself.

Another major issue facing the county early in the New Year is the proposed re-assessment of property values for taxation purposes. The Ministry of Revenue has presented the county with a plan to re-assess all properties in the county at market value.

The intent of the proposal is to ensure that people owning property of similar value will pay the same education and county taxes regardless of location in the county.

The Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations has objected to the proposed re-assessment because of the impact it will have on property taxes for waterfront property.

Puffer says the reaction from seasonal residents was expected, but councillors have to consider the effect of the plan on all residents in Haliburton and take into consideration the local economy.

"We have to consider what is the greatest good for the greatest number of people," she said. "The whole thing is geared toward a more fair, understandable and sensible tax system."

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Man threatens suicide in Haliburton stores

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very stable and honorable to the community," Hicks said.

"I was concerned for his own life. I phoned police to ensure his own safety against himself."

OPP Constable Ron Buchanan said he drove to Haliburton from the Minden detachment after receiving several phone calls from people complaining about Cummings.

After driving around town and questioning witnesses, Buchanan said he finally located Cummings inside the Loon's Nest Restaurant, behind the counter with a woman and a young boy.

"I was very cautious because there were knives in the area where they make sandwiches, and also (concerned) for the safety of the two people in there," said Buchanan.

"He raved on," Buchanan added. "He did a lot of preaching of the bible. He stated that his intention was to commit suicide."

When Cummings took the stand, he told the court he was "really uptight, or upset, that day."

Ever since he quit heavy use of marijuana, Cummings said he'd been trying to start a business and has put half his income into buying used cars.

"Nobody will hire me," he said. "Not even for \$5 an hour. Schizophrenia and Jesus — the two most difficult things to get people to understand."

Cummings admitted he would have killed a police officer who got in his way of suicide.

"I was going to defend myself from police and if they ended up dead, fine by me," Cummings said.

Later he added: "I believe in reincarnation. I might be doing him a favour. Although that's no justification for murder."

Cummings said he's been frustrated with life. At one point he was tested with an 135 IQ, which is high normal or low genius. Years later, when he was in a mental hospital, he was tested higher at 153.

"Still, I can't get a break. I can't work. Nobody will hire me."

He's tried to become a volunteer in Haliburton several times, and lost a volunteer position at Extendicare when they learned of his mental illness, said Cummings.

Regarding the incident at the Loon's Nest, Cummings said there was no possible harm to the woman and child, because they are his friends. "The little guy is sort of like my son," he said.

Cummings also objected to the nature of the charge, saying the only danger he intended was against himself.

"You're not charged with trying to hurt anyone else," said Judge Inrig. "The dangerous purpose was danger to yourself. And that's danger to the public peace."

"I'm not going to disturb the public peace if they find my body dead in the bush somewhere," argued Cummings. "It raises a nice point in law. Who does this body belong to, society or myself?"

"Well, we're not going to worry about that today," said Judge Inrig.

Cummings, who had been held in custody since November, said a psychiatrist put him on new medication three weeks ago.

The combination of lithium, normally used to treat manic depressives, and a "tropical bug juice" muscle relaxant should work well after he's taken it long enough, Cummings said.

Crown Attorney Johnston said Cummings was guilty of the charge. "The purpose was to kill himself, and if anyone had attempted to prevent that, he'd harm them... he's proven he'd kill a cop who'd get in the way."

She also noted that Cummings' doctor previously wanted him to take a medication which would have to be injected once a week. Cummings said he refused because he hates needles.

Before Judge Inrig announced his decision in the case, Cummings said: "Thank you for all the times I've been before you. You mix justice with compassion."

Judge Inrig suspended sentence, and said Cummings' landlady is to make sure he takes his medication regularly. Cummings also isn't permitted possession of any knives or other weapons.

Cummings then said he was hoping Judge Inrig would make him do community service work, so the judge agreed to add that to his probation order if anything is available.

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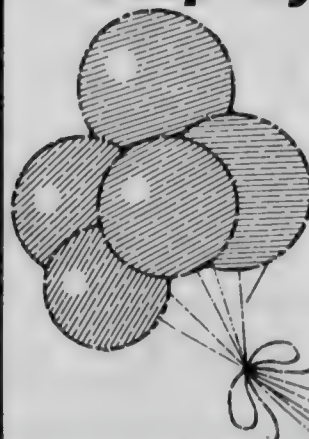
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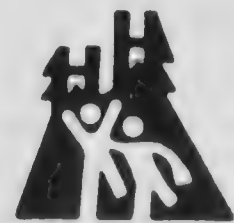
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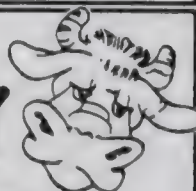
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— Before you head onto any ice, check with a local bait shop operator or resort owner for known ice conditions, thin ice areas or dangerous open water conditions.

Despite precautions, there are no guarantees with ice. If you should break through the ice:

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Alcohol affects a person's balance and judgement. A moment of dizziness or a misstep may not cause harm

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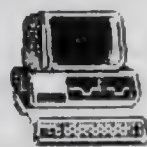
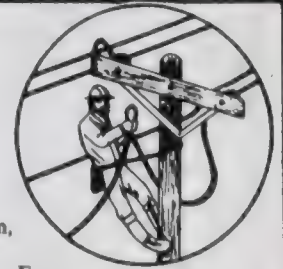
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Major issues will keep county councillors busy

(from page 12)

Under the current system some of the inequalities in amounts of county and education tax levied on properties with similar value is "unbelievable" said Puffer.

Before the re-assessment plan can be adopted it requires the approval of at least six of the 10 municipal councils in the county and a majority vote at county council.

Puffer says the county is also awaiting the release of the comprehensive study into Haliburton County's long-term health, housing and social service needs. The study, which began more than a year ago, is expected to be released within the next two months.

Tied to study is the fate of the proposed 18-bed chronic care unit. In her inaugural address last month, Puffer re-iterated the county's support for the project "regardless of the location in the county." The unit was initially planned as an expansion to the Haliburton Hospital, but Puffer says that because council is responsible for the entire county, getting the unit built takes precedence over location.

"A desirable characteristic would be the absence of destructive inter-area competition," she said.

The recently-elected NDP government promised, during the election, that the unit would be built once they were elected.

In the spring, the county will begin preparing for the second year of the Gypsy Moth spray program. Puffer says the county intends, not only to deal with Gypsy Moths, but with a whole range of threats to the county's forests.

With such a weighty agenda, some



Warden Carol Puffer

issues will have to wait for the county's full attention, and the recommendations of the economic development study are on the back burner for the time being.

"They will be addressed later in the year," said Puffer. "With everything on the agenda we have to deal with, they will have to be deferred, but they will definitely be dealt with."

Considering the importance of such issues a waste management, the official plan and economic development, residents of Haliburton County will have a good opportunity to see their elected officials in action before going to the polls in November.

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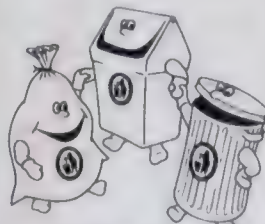
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Dump fees delayed for county plan

by Susan Grober

Tipping fees at the Lutterworth dumps won't be considered by township council until it's determined how Haliburton's Waste Management Master Plan will effect the county.

At last Wednesday's meeting, some council members thought the township should charge a fee for people who dump tires, and for contractors who deposit large amounts of garbage. "There's certainly pros and cons to that," said

Reeve Carol Puffer.

Council has previously discussed the possibility of introducing such fees. But a decision was deferred because councillors weren't comfortable with the idea of the landfill attendants handling money at the sites.

Councillor Maurice Boyd said a fee should prevent people from other townships using Lutterworth's dumps. "If we don't charge and other ones do, then these guys on contracting jobs will be dumping in our landfills."

Bill Valentine noted there have been problems with errant dumping in the past. "Putting in attendants and gates has helped a lot."

Boyd also wondered how garages are disposing of items such as tires and car batteries.

Deputy-Reeve Jim McMahon said he hasn't been able to get an answer from the Ministry of the Environment on how to dispose of propane tanks and car batteries, "other than you can't put them in our site."

Puffer said council should wait and see whether tipping fees are discussed in the county plan. "A lot of us are keeping an eye on what comes out of that."

In the meantime, Puffer suggested that the landfill attendants start monitoring use of the dump and gather statistics.

McMahon, who chairs the township's Environment Committee, will draw up a form for this compilation of data.

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Pair tried for washout

(from page 1)

between June and last Wednesday was unreasonable. "There appears to be no valid reason for (this delay)," he said.

Crown Attorney Lorne Chester said the seven-month delay was not unreasonable for such a "serious charge."

If convicted, either accused could face fines up to \$50,000. Maximum penalty for a second offence under the Fisheries Act is \$100,000, "which indicates the degree of seriousness attributed to the charge by parliament," said Chester.

The Crown Attorney also argued that the case is complex, involving six witnesses.

He said part of the delay was created because one witness, a Ministry of Natural Resources biologist, had to take several samples between the excavation site and the river.

Quoting a Supreme Court decision on unreasonable delay, Chester said "complex cases which require longer time will justify delays longer than those in simple cases."

Judge Inrig said he could only determine whether the case is complex once

he hears the evidence.

He also decided to proceed with the trial. "The parties were rather delinquent in retaining their counsel," said the judge. "It's an indication that the accused persons weren't in any great hurry to proceed with their trial."

Bradamore and Hughes did not enter a plea, so a not guilty plea was entered through the court.

Conservation Officer Dave Ferguson, who investigated the incident, offered evidence on the case and presented the court with several photographs taken by ministry staff.

He said the washout was caused by a large amount of water which collected in the excavation from run-off during the thaw.

The silt was washed across the road, down McKnight Drive and through a marshy area into the river, said Ferguson.

Ferguson also said Bradamore and Hughes installed filter cloths to stop the flow of silt after they were contacted by the ministry.

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I'd like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe and happy New Year. May 1991 bring peace and joy for all of us.

Being your new MPP has afforded many chances to meet the people of Victoria-Haliburton and I trust there will be many more opportunities to get acquainted.

Some of the very special moments of the last few rather hectic months include welcoming many of you to the official opening of our constituency office in Lindsay. Thank you to those who attended, and for those who missed the event, please drop in and meet my staff. The office is open in the Kent Place Mall, Monday,

Drainville Diary

A report from Queen's Park

With Dennis Drainville, MPP

Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. I have been able to welcome constituents into the legislature as well. Last month, students from Woodville Elementary School were our special guests. They met with the Speaker of the House, David Warner, and toured the Legislative buildings. Feeling like part of the process of government is important to help instill a sense of citizenship in young

people. It is vital to remember that Queen's Park belongs to all of the people in Ontario. I encourage many more to take the time to visit.

On October 1, it was my very special honour to be the Master of Ceremonies and to conduct the invocation at the historic swearing in of the first NDP Cabinet in Ontario history.

I think one of the most important Bills introduced in the legislature in this

first sitting has been Bill #1. It is an act to separate the Federal Goods and Services tax from all provincial sales tax. This means the province will not collect or take part in any way with Federal sales tax collection. The provincial government brought in this Bill because it profoundly disagrees with the GST. We believe it to be unfair and harsh on those who can least afford it.

Finally, I hope to see many constituents from both counties at the annual Sled Dog Derby in Minden on January 12 and 13. I'm looking forward, though admittedly with some trepidation, to my first ride behind a dog team.

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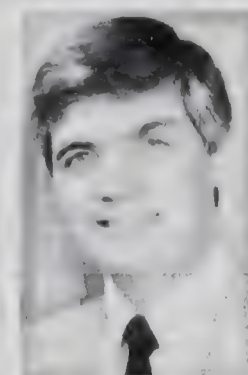
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Trying to duplicate nature an absurd undertaking

At a conference in Kyoto last summer, the Japanese multi-millionaire who paid for the meeting, held up a flask half filled with water containing a waterplant and a live goldfish. The neck of the flask was completely sealed.

"I have had this for over a month" he said "and it has changed my life."

He went on to tell us how astonished he was at the ability of sunlight alone to keep plant photosynthesis and fish respiration going. It is an impressive lesson. Still, the closed system becomes unbalanced, the water turns foul and the fish and plant die. But for weeks, even months, the flask gives the comforting illusion of being in equilibrium.

This past November, with much fanfare, four men and four women were scheduled to be sealed in an immense steel and glass structure just north of Tucson, Ariz., at the edge of the Sonora desert.

The complex is called Biosphere II, housing an expensive and ambitious attempt to mimic the complex community of organisms on the planet (Biosphere I is the entire planet). Biosphere II is a huge greenhouse covering 1.2 hectares in which the diverse ecosystems of the planet are simulated in seven different biomes, representations of biogeographical settings including deserts, tropical rainforests and a 25-foot deep ocean.

For the next two years, the inhabitants of this structure will live off the "land," on the productive output of over 3,800 species of plants and animals that have been assembled there. The "bionauts" will depend on the air, water and food recycled and generated within the structures.

These hi-tech hunter-gatherers will live in apartments and will be linked to the outside world through computers, while the entire system is supposed to be physically sealed off completely from Biosphere I.

Biosphere II was originally developed to determine whether self-sustaining and self-regenerating units could be created in outer space for interplanetary

Reflections

by David Suzuki

travel or permanent stations on the moon or Mars. But now that the global environment is in crisis, the project is being promoted as an attempt to learn about the way earth's ecosystems work.

Already over \$30 million has been invested in the project that could end up costing well over \$100 million.

It's an absurd undertaking. Like the sealed bottle with plant and fish, Biosphere II will have sufficient complexity to maintain an illusion of equilibrium and balance in a closed system. But it would take decades to be sure that this is genuine and it would be astonishing if it were.

Biosphere II is like the popular mechanical dinosaurs currently touring museums — impressive at first sight, but actually grotesque simplifications of the real thing.

We know so little about the components and interactions of stable ecosystems that we cannot duplicate them. Besides, Biosphere II only maintains its "environment" with computers that regulate temperature, humidity, tides and seasonal change, while an entire basement of machinery is needed to cool and filter the air, store water and recycle animal waste. Biosphere II is nothing but a very elaborate zoo or herbarium in which every component is selected and managed by people, not nature.

For four billion years, life on earth survived and changed with only sunlight as an external energy source. Today, in the span of less than a century, much of this is now endangered. Of course, even if the environment is so changed that human life is no longer supportable, life of some sort will persist. But it will be a radically different mix of organisms and

many of the products of billions of years of evolution will have been snuffed out.

Biosphere II diverts attention from our real need to study authentic ecosystems, that could provide serious insights into the basis of stability on Biosphere I.

By embarking on a stunt with a lot of media hype, the proponents of Biosphere II divert money and attention away from a more urgent challenge — saving the planet's diversity of life forms by protecting their habitats.

Harvard biologist, Edward O. Wilson, once told me that more money is spent in New York City bars in two weeks than world expenditures to study tropical rainforests over a year.

Thus, while tropical rainforests occupy only 1.8 per cent of the surface of the planet, they contain over 50 per cent of all species, yet they are being destroyed before we have even begun to explore the mechanisms that make them so rich in species and how they affect the rest of the planet.

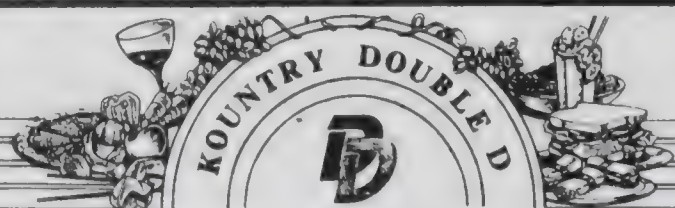
The effort and money invested in Biosphere II is of little scientific value and merely adds to the widespread public impression that we are in control and can create our own livable environment. That's what's killing the planet.

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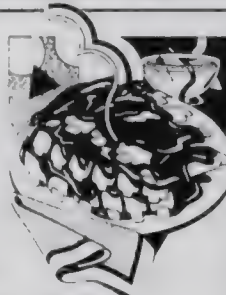
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Kennel Call

A young, male shepherd/retriever was found in Stanhope Township recently and brought to Minden Animal Clinic.

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The proposed by-law is available for public viewing and comments at each of the Township offices and County offices from this date up until January 31, 1991. Written comments and concerns will be accepted by the County for review previous to the passing of the by-law. Any particular concerns you may have should be addressed to the:

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W. E. Obee, P.Eng
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Chairman of County Road Committee

Around the County Town

by Jean Sears (call 286-1538)

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hicks of Oshawa are spending three weeks holidays at their cottage near Minden.

Miss Teresa Brown and friend of Ottawa spent her holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wally Brown.

Joyce Hewitt enjoyed the Holiday season with her family at Barrie and Minden, with all members of her family, including a great time with Colin.

Teresa and Al Clement and boys of Scarborough had a great holiday with her parents Pearl and Arnold Cowen and uncle Harold.

Jean Lacey has been away with her family at Shelburne and Mono Mills.

Elaine and Roy Eveleigh enjoyed their Christmas with their family at Pepperlaw.

Fifteen members of Bill Moore's Clan gathered on December 23rd at Hyland Crest Home for Christmas with Dad and Grandad Bill Moore. They came from Bramalea, Toronto and Bracebridge and a good time was had by all.

Maud Coulter has been away for Christmas with the Ray Rivers of Toronto

and New Year's at Newtonville.

Peg Davis of Peterborough was among guests with daughter Helen and Norm Lee celebrating the New Year with all the family.

Cpl. John Lake, wife Pam and Rachel of Trenton Air Base visited with the Goldie Hendersons and Mary Cox during the holiday season.

More winners in the Minden Lions Hockey Pool are Wilma Woodcock, Craig Woodcock, Bob Thompson, Marg Harrison, Harold McCarthy, Lynn Rooney and Jeanne Sears.

Jack Chilton has been away visiting his family in Toronto over the holidays.

There was a family dinner at the Bob Hughes home with those present being Blake and Joyce Hughes and girls, Beth and Dave Titus and family, Lynn and Wayne Cox and family and Dana and Warren Mann and all enjoyed a great visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLenna and Adam from Alberta enjoyed Christmas and New Year's with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wruth and visited other relatives in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dart

of Oshawa spent the holidays at their cottage near Haliburton and visited relatives and friends.

Perry and Diane Peacock spent the holidays with her parents Alvin and Marjorie Cowen at Maple Lake.

Laura and Mike Bird of Toronto spent Christmas with their parents the Earl Birds.

Sincere sympathy goes to the families and friends of the late Ada Turrall, Freda Stacey and Alice Shelly whose funerals were since my last column.

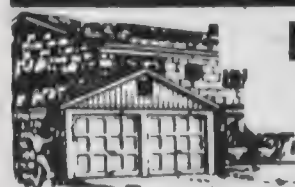
Don Francis and a friend

from Haliburton were Sunday guests with May Hicks.

Betty and Gerald Hicks and Bessie Burk visited with Neil, Norma and Abby Burk last Thursday night and enjoyed the hockey game on T.V.

Minden Women's Institute is sponsoring a day course in Fancy Bread Making at Minden United Church Hall Thursday, January 10 at 9 a.m. and bring your box lunch. If you are interested contact these phone numbers for details, 286-1158, 286-1648 or 286-1559.

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Around the County Town

(more on page 25)

Visitors with Mrs. Florence Robinson over the holidays were Grace and Ern Voyce from Gamebridge, Paul and Eileen Cockburn from Woodville, and Larry Allen from Brampton.

The marriage of Cora Brown of Stayner and Henry Weibert of Minden, Ontario was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Brown, Toronto, on Saturday, January 5th, 1991 at 4 p.m. The Rev. Norman Bullock Pastor of First Baptist Church, Stayner

heard their wedding vows in the presence of their immediate families, and close friends Don and Audrey Buckingham, also of Stayner. Don was pianist for this occasion, and played many favourite sections of music at the piano.

Those who assisted in this ceremony were two young grandsons Master Ryan and Justin Brown and sons Murray Brown, Gerald and Paul Weibert.

Following the reception and with many good wishes bestowed to the happy couple they left for their vacation and cruise to Hawaii.

I hope everyone had as great a Christmas time as I did. Several days at Newmarket with daughter Carolynn and Reg Leaman and their sons Reg, Phil and Mike, April, Dana and Jeannette, together, it made mine a Real Christmas. Then on to Toronto with a brief time with Muriel Ewing and Sandra Moth and boys. Now may you all have a very happy and healthy New Year.

Good wishes go to these people, Garnet Ash, Leslie Northey, Bob Hughes, Frank Dunsford and Wayne Anderson room 107 Hutch-

ison Wing, Civic.

Bill and Sally Bonner were away visiting relatives over the Holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stott, Julie and Nicole of Dundas enjoyed Christmas with the Al Stotts while

staying at PineStone.

Birthdays listed at Hyland Crest for this month are Alice Todd, January 9, May Horsley, January 17th, perhaps you might like to remember them on their 'special' day.

Mrs. Lena Burton celebrated her 94th birthday at a party at PineStone December 29th. Guests present were Jean and Jack Jackson, Herb Gill and Richarda Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Ken McConnell of Toronto, Helen and Jim Burton. Congratulations to her.

Musical treasures found on trip

Yvonne Guida flew to Lake St. Louis, Missouri to spend Christmas holidays with her son, Dr. James Guida, his wife Connie and Granddaughter Laura. She had a wonderful visit. While there, she was able to obtain

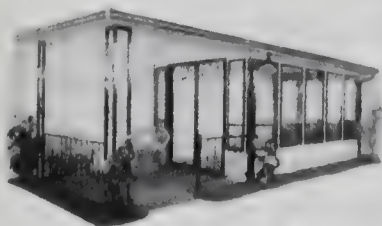
tapes of the great Bass, George London, Leonard Bernstein conducting in Berlin, Beethoven's Ode to Joy (Ode on Die Freiheit) his Ninth Symphony, and Mario Lanza all personal friends, unfortunately all

are deceased. Poor Lenny was so ill when he conducted this fantastic work he had to have oxygen at his side and yet he was so elated by the work, he could

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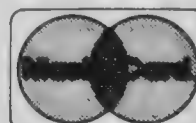
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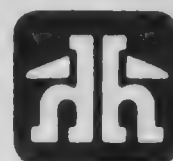
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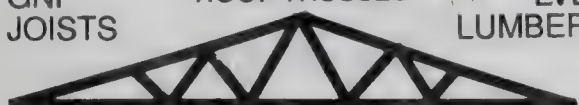
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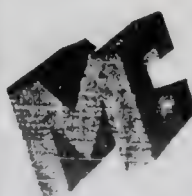
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Kids' Korner

by Jean Lacey

Hi Kids!
Here is another puzzle for you with a word list. Look in the diagram of letters for the words given in the list. Find them by reading up, down, forward, backward and diagonally.

T H F V Z Q F G S R O O D F V
R U E H L H A U L R F T I S V
A C O N V E N I E N T Y S T K
V M K H G L C S E L J K T A Q
F Q R A E I O P P J R R A E F
L H B S V G N E D A O R N S T
V A L U E H B E P F S B C S Z
F B M Y T N D M P U I E W H
Y L I M A F T O U R O T J E C
R Q F E R A C X I E I W G B T
U O J R E L I A R T C R E S I
X S T V G E Q T H N A I O R H
U N I O G V D C N L P C R H N
L R H Z M O B I L E S G A P I
D X B G E N E T U O R T H V Z

They are all in a straight line and do not skip letters. Circle the words in the diagram and cross it off the list.

It's as easy as that. Have fun!

BUY
CARE
COMFORT
CONVENIENT
COST
DISTANCE
DOOR
DRIVE
ENGINE
FAMILY
FAST
FUEL
HAUL
HITCH
HOME
LARGE
LIGHT
LUXURY
MOBILE
MOTOR
MOVE

PARK
POWER
PRICE
RADIO
RENT
ROAD
ROUTE
SEATS
SIZE
SLEEP
SPACIOUS
SPEED
SUMMER
TEST
TOUR
TRAILER
VACATION
VALUE

Q: What do you call an elephant hitch-hiker?

A: A two-and-a-half ton pick-up.

Q: Where did the old Lady who lived in a shoe send her kids in the summer?

A: To Boot Camp.

Stranded in St. Louis by winter weather

(from page 25)

still on occasion jump as he used to while conducting. All creatures drink of joy (freedom)
At Nature's breast
Just and unjust
Alike taste of her gift
She gave us kisses and fruit of the vine
A tried and true friend to the end
Even the worm can feel contentment
And the cherub stands before God!

She also got Tchaikovsky's Nutcracker, Handel's Messiah starring Adele Addison and David Lloyd also friends from Tanglewood.

The Guida beautiful house looked so festive with all the lovely trimmings and was full of guests, even a TWA captain. While in St. Louis her family took her to see Sean Connery in Russia House which is a terrific movie. Unfortunately Yvonne was stranded in St. Louis in a huge snow-storm which closed the airport and travellers had to stay the night. Her son came for her at four a.m. to make sure she made her flight. The flights were great and it was a wonderful holiday and so good to see the family.

Yvonne

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF
ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File #87-13)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Mountain Lake lying in front of Lot 4, Concession 5, in the Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on January 24, 1991 at the hour of 7:30 p.m., a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Mountain Lake in front of Lot 4, Concession 5, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 5 and 6 on a plan of survey completed by Bishop & Wilson on August 31, 1989.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 13th day of December, 1990.

Mrs. Mary Mysyk,
Clerk-Treasurer,
P.O. Box 359,
Minden, Ontario.
KOM 2K0



CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF
ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File #87-21)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Horseshoe Lake lying in front of Lot 12, Concession 5, in the Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on January 24, 1991 at the hour of 7:30 p.m., a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Horseshoe Lake in front of Lot 12, Concession 5, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 3 and 4 on a plan of survey completed by Bishop & Wilson on August 24, 1989.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 19th day of December, 1990.

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF
ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File #90-10)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Mountain Lake lying in front of Lot 5/6, Concession 8, in the Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on January 24, 1991 at the hour of 7:30 p.m., a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Mountain Lake in front of Lot 5/6, Concession 8, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Part 1 on a plan of survey completed by Bishop & Wilson on June 14th, 1990.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

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Report from Ottawa

With Bill Scott, MP

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SCHEDULE B ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT HALIBURTON LAKE ROAD (COUNTY ROAD 14) ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

LOTS 28, 29, 30, CON. 4 TOWNSHIP OF GUILFORD
(Fawns Point to Redstone River)

PUBLIC COMMENT NOW BEING ACCEPTED

As a requirement under Ontario's Environmental Assessment Act, the County of Haliburton hereby notifies all interested individuals and parties that subject to the comments received as a result of this Notice and the receipt of other approvals as necessary, the County of Haliburton Roads Department intends to proceed with the planning, design and construction of the above mentioned project.

The purpose of this project is to reconstruct the section of roadway from 1000 feet West of Fawns Point to the Redstone River, thus providing a facility that will address the deficiencies outlined in the justification report. Preliminary design of this project has been initiated, however a preferred design will not be selected until such a time when comment from all interested parties has been reviewed. Actual costing of the project cannot be attained until a preferred design is selected, however a benchmark cost of 325,000 dollars has been derived from costing of projects of similar nature.

For further information on this project, or to inspect a copy of the Class Environmental Assessment contact:

County of Haliburton Roads Department
St. Germain Street
Box 399, Minden, Ont.
KOM 2K0
Mon. - Fri.: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
(705) 286-1762

An open house forum will be held on January 26, 1991 at the West Guilford Community Center from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. for general information and comment.

Interested individuals and parties have until March 1st to comment on the proposed project. Comments must be in writing and be received by the Roads Office by the above date.

If concerns regarding this project cannot be resolved, a person/party may request that the Minister of the Environment "bump-up" this project to an individual environmental assessment. Bump-up requests must be received by the above date and submitted to the address below. If there are no concerns expressed by the above date, the County of Haliburton Roads Department will proceed with the planning, design and construction of this project.

Minister of the Environment
135 St. Clair Avenue West
15th Floor
Toronto, Ont.
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Bob McCausland,
Chairman of Road Committee,
County of Haliburton.

W.E. Obee, P. Eng.,
County Engineer,
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This Notice issued 21st December, 1990.

SCHEDULE B ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT KENNISIS LAKE ROAD (COUNTY ROAD 7) PART LOTS 5, 6 and 7 CON IV and V TOWNSHIP OF GUILFORD (West Guilford Bridge to Barry Line Sideroad)

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The purpose of this project is to reconstruct the section of roadway from the West Guilford bridge northerly for 1.8 kilometers to the Barry Line Road, thus providing a facility that will address the deficiencies outlined in the justification report. Preliminary design of this project has been initiated, however a preferred design will not be selected until such a time when comment from all interested parties has been reviewed. Actual costing of the project cannot be attained until a preferred design is selected, however a benchmark cost of 500,000 dollars has been derived from costing of projects of similar nature.

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This Week On T.V.

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channel 2
GLOBAL

Mon., Jan. 7

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Major Dad
8:00 MacGyver
9:00 In The Heat
Of The Night
10:00 Friday The 13th
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 COPS
12:30 Late Night With David Letterman

1:30 Mod Squad
2:30 Room 222
3:00 Night Moves
4:30 Night Ride

Tues., Jan. 8

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Hockey: Calgary at Toronto
10:30 Super Dave
11:00 Global News
11:30 Big Sky Country

1:30 Mod Squad
2:30 Room 222
3:00 Night Moves
4:30 Night Ride

12:00 Haywire
12:30 Late Night With David Letterman
1:30 Mod Squad
2:30 Room 222
3:00 Jackpot
3:30 Night Moves
4:00 Night Ride
5:00 Night Walk

Wed., Jan. 9

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Growing Pains
8:00 Special: Glory, Glory (Pt. 2)
10:00 Diamonds
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 Totally Hidden Video
12:30 Late Night With David Letterman

1:30 Mod Squad
2:30 Room 222
3:00 Jackpot
3:30 Night Moves
4:00 Night Ride
5:00 Night Walk

Thurs., Jan. 10

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune

7:30 Simpsons
8:00 T & T
8:30 Alfred Hitchcock Presents
9:00 Cheers
9:30 Dear John
10:00 L.A. Law
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 227
12:30 Late Night With David Letterman

Fri., Jan. 11

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Profiles of Nature
8:00 Quantum Leap
9:00 In Living Colour
9:30 Wings
10:00 Wiseguy
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 True Colors
12:30 Late Night With David Letterman

1:30 World Vision
2:30 Mod Squad

3:30 Room 222
4:00 Night Ride
5:30 Night Music

Sat., Jan. 12

6:00 Seneca Telecollege
6:30 Commander Crumbcake
7:00 Hercules
7:30 World Tomorrow
8:00 Kidstreet
9:00 Slimer! And The Real Ghostbusters
10:00 Beetlejuice
10:30 New Kids On The Block
11:00 COPS
11:30 Dennis The Menace
12:00 Kidsbeat
12:30 NFC Divisional Play-offs 1
4:00 AFC Divisional Play-offs 1
7:00 Profiles of Nature
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 Amen
8:30 American Dreamer
9:00 World Vision
10:00 Twin Peaks
11:00 Global News
11:30 Saturday Night Live
1:00 Elvira: Island Of Living Horror
3:00 Night Moves
4:30 Night Ride

Sun., Jan. 13

5:30 James Robinson
6:00 Circle Square
6:30 Town & Country
7:00 Jimmy Swaggart
8:00 Hour Of Power
9:00 World Tomorrow
9:30 Blue Rainbows
10:00 Ballooner Landing
10:30 Little Koala
11:00 Kidstreet
11:30 Smoggies
12:00 Carrocel
12:30 NFC Divisional Play-offs
4:00 AFC Divisional Play-offs
7:00 60 Minutes
8:00 Quantum Leap
9:00 Married...With Children
9:30 Good Grief
10:00 Leprosy Mission
11:00 The World Tonight

Monday, January 7, 1991

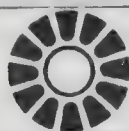
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 America's Most Wanted
1:00 Wheel Of Fortune
1:30 The Movie Show
2:00 Mod Squad
3:00 Night Music
4:30 Night Ride

Mon., Jan. 14

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Hockey: Buffalo at Toronto
10:30 Super Dave
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 COPS
12:30 Late Night With David Letterman
1:30 Mod Squad
2:30 Room 222
3:00 Night Moves
4:30 Night Ride



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channel 3
CKVR

Mon., Jan. 7

6:00 Love Boat
7:00 Journey Into... India
7:30 Mom P.I.
8:00 Fresh Prince
8:30 Degassi High
9:00 Max Glick
9:30 Designing Women
10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Golden Girls
12:00 Perry Mason
1:00 Movie: Mr. and Mrs. North

Tues., Jan. 8

6:00 Love Boat
7:00 National Geographic
8:00 Fifth Estate
9:00 Market Place
10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Golden Girls
12:00 Perry Mason
1:00 Movie: Spin Out Aka California Holiday

Wed., Jan. 9

6:00 Love Boat

7:00 Search For Adventure
8:00 Jacques Cousteau
9:00 Nature Of Things
10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Golden Girls
12:00 Perry Mason
1:00 Movie: Witching Time/ The Silent Screem

Thurs., Jan. 10

6:00 Love Boat
7:00 Beyond 2000
8:00 Television To Explore Presents... Lifequest
9:00 Testament
10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Golden Girls
12:00 Perry Mason
1:00 Movie: Union Pacific

Fri., Jan. 11

6:00 Love Boat
7:00 World Of Survival
8:00 Street Legal
9:00 Dallas
10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Golden Girls
12:00 Perry Mason
1:00 Movie: Green Ice
3:16 Little Rascals
3:30 Phil Silvers
4:00 Movie: Norman Loves Rose

Sat., Jan. 12

6:00 Total News
6:30 Morning Exercise
7:00 Kangaroo Club
7:30 Monty's Reptile Show
8:00 Challenge

8:30 Anything Grows
9:00 Disability Network
9:30 Lynette Jennings Homeworke
10:00 Star Trek
11:00 Your Wealth
11:30 Parent to Parent
12:00 Tommy Hunter
1:00 Travel Magazine
1:30 In Shape For Life
2:00 Fishing The North
2:30 Renovation Zone
5:00 Sportsweekend
6:00 Movie: At War With The Army
8:00 NHL: Hartford at Toronto
11:00 The National
11:15 Provincial Affairs
11:40 Perry Mason
12:40 Movie: North To Alaska
3:13 Three Stooges
3:30 Phil Silvers

4:00 Movie: Screwballs

Sun., Jan. 13

6:10 Total News
6:30 Morning Exercise
7:00 Oopsy Daisy
7:30 Third Story
8:00 The White Paper
8:30 People's Church
9:30 Movie: Love & Larceny
12:30 Ag Weekend
1:00 World Vision
6:00 Disney
7:00 Road to Avonlea
8:00 Where The Spirit Lives
10:00 Sunday Report
10:25 Venture
10:53 Nation's Business
11:00 Total News
11:20 Ski Base
11:50 Perry Mason
12:50 Star Trek

Mon., Jan. 14

6:00 Love Boat
7:00 Journey Into... India
7:30 Max Glick
8:00 Fresh Prince
8:30 Designing Women
9:00 Mom P.I.
9:30 Designing Women
10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Golden Girls
12:00 Perry Mason
1:00 Movie: Shadow Of The Thin Man

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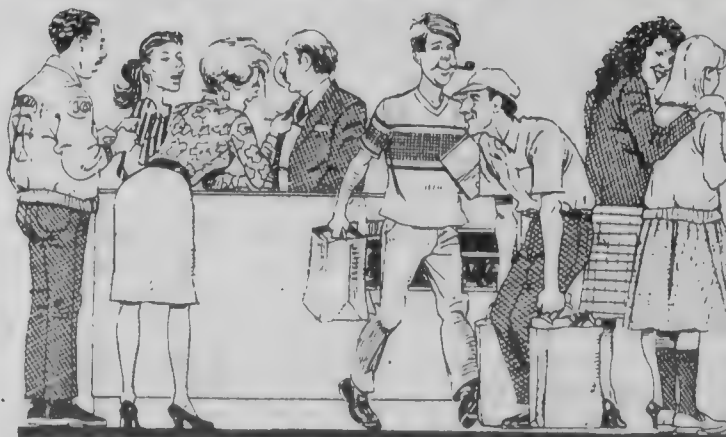
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JANUARY 25, 26, 27/91

WINTER CARNIVAL

'GOSSIP'



Rumor #2

Beaver Valley Sausages
'Has below low Prices'

Maple Leaf
Wieners
2 lbs. \$3⁰⁰

McCain
Pizza
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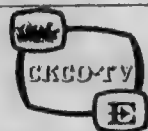
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channel 11 CKCO

Mon., Jan. 7		9:00 Roseanne
6:00 Scan Newshour		9:30 Bordertown
7:00 Cosby Show		10:00 Law & Order
7:30 Murphy Brown		11:00 CTV National News
8:00 Rescue 911		11:30 The Ontario Report
9:00 Movie: Under Cover: Pilot		12:00 Sledgehammer
11:00 CTV National News		12:30 Simon & Simon
11:30 The Ontario Report		1:30 Magnum P.I.
12:00 Sledgehammer		
12:30 Simon & Simon		
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Wed., Jan. 9		
6:00 Scan Newshour		7:00 The Cosby Show
7:00 The Cosby Show		7:30 Doogie Howser
7:30 Cheers		8:00 Unsolved Mysteries
8:00 Matlock		9:00 Hunter
Tues., Jan. 8		11:00 CTV National News
6:00 Scan		11:30 The Ontario Report
7:00 The Cosby Show		12:00 Sledgehammer
7:30 Cheers		12:30 Simon & Simon
8:00 Matlock		



channel 12 CHEX

Mon., Jan. 7		9:00 Market Place
6:00 Newswatch		9:30 Man Alive
7:00 Entertainment Tonight		10:00 The National & The Journal
7:30 Max Glick		11:00 Newswatch
8:00 Fresh Prince		11:30 Sledge Hammer
8:30 Deglassi		12:00 Alice
9:00 Mom P.I.		12:30 Rockford Files
9:30 Designing Women		
10:00 The National & The Journal		
Wed., Jan. 9		6:00 Newswatch
11:00 Newswatch		7:00 Entertainment Tonight
11:30 Sledge Hammer		7:30 Parenthood
12:00 Alice		8:00 The Wonder Years
12:30 Rockford Files		8:30 The Fanelli Boys
Tues., Jan. 8		9:00 Nature Of Things
6:00 Newswatch		10:00 The National & The Journal
7:00 Entertainment Tonight		11:00 Newswatch
7:30 Carol & Co.		11:30 Sledge Hammer
8:00 Fifth Estate		12:00 Alice
		12:30 Rockford Files

1:30 Magnum P.I.	8:00 Winnie the Pooh	11:00 Church Service
Thurs., Jan. 10	8:25 How Its Made	12:00 Question Period
6:00 Scan Newshour	8:30 Magic Circus	12:30 Littlest Hobo
7:00 The Cosby Show	9:00 Owl TV	1:00 Movie: A Special Friendship
7:30 Grand	9:30 The Campbells	3:00 World Vision 1991
8:00 The Cosby Show	10:00 Time Exposures	6:30 CKCO News Special
8:30 A Different World	10:30 Big Top Talent	7:00 W-5
9:00 ENG	11:00 Brownstone Kids	8:00 America's Funniest Home Videos
10:00 Knots Landing	11:30 Witness To Survival	8:30 America's Funniest People
11:00 CTV National News	12:00 Teen Video	9:00 Movie: Held Hostage: The Sis and Jerry Levin Story
11:30 The Ontario Report	12:30 Country Life	11:00 CTV National News
12:00 Sledgehammer	1:00 Along The Rail	11:30 The Ontario Report
12:30 Simon & Simon	1:30 Angler's Edge	12:00 Movie: Ellery Queen: Don't Look Behind You
1:30 Magnum P.I.	2:00 Canada In View	
Fri., Jan. 11	2:30 On Stage	
6:00 Scan Newshour	3:00 Stars of Hockey	
7:00 The Cosby Show	4:00 Wide World Of Sports	
7:30 Perfect Strangers	6:00 Scan Weekend	
8:00 Full House	6:30 Inside Entertainment	
8:30 Family Matters	7:00 Bowling For Dollars	
9:00 Night Court	7:30 My Secret Identity	
9:30 Babes	8:00 Katts & Dog	
10:00 Hamilton Spectator Games featuring Ben Johnson	8:30 TBA	
11:00 CTV National News	9:00 Trials Of Rosie O'Neill	
11:30 The Ontario Report	10:00 Neon Rider	
12:00 Movie: Destiny of a Spy	11:00 CTV National News	
Sat., Jan. 12	11:30 The Ontario Report	
6:00 Camp Cariboo	12:00 Movie: Detour To Nowhere	
6:30 Paul Hann and Friends	2:00 Movie: Do You Take This Stranger	
7:00 Rockets		
7:30 Wonder Why		
Sun., Jan. 13		
6:00 McGowan's World		
6:30 Country Life		
7:00 People's Church		
8:00 Sunday A.M.		
10:00 Sunday Edition		

PARTICIPATION

daytime viewing

2 Faith 20	5:30	2 Bumper Stumpers
11 The Ontario Report	5:45	3 Andy Griffith Show
2 Seneca Telecollege	6:00	11 The Judge
3 Total News		12 The Flintstones
12 Newswatch		12:00
2 Hercules	6:30	2 Global News
3 Morning Exercise		3 Leave It To Beaver
11 Canada A.M.		11 Noon Report
12 Video Hits		12 Newswatch
2 Inspector Gadget	7:00	12:30
3 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles		3 Total News
12 Silver Basketball		11 Beverly Hillsbillies
2 Police Academy	7:30	12 Family Ties
3 Animal Crackups		1:00
12 James Robinson Evangelical Assoc.		2 Days Of Our Lives
2 Real Ghostbusters	8:00	3 All My Children
3 You're Getting Better		11 Shirley
12 Sesame Street		12 All My Children
2 Carebears	8:30	2 New Liars Club
3 Good Company		3 You're Getting Better
9:00		11 Another World
2 Chain Reaction		12 Middy
3 Sesame Street		2:30
11 Romper Room		2 The Last Word
12 Everyday Workout		3 Talk About
2 Jackpot	9:30	2 Santa Barbara
11 Secret Lives		3 Good Company
12 The Best Is Yet To Come		11 The Joan Rivers Show
2 Food For Thought	10:00	12 Guiding Light
3 Fred Penner's Place		3:30
11 Dini Petty Show		2 Babar
12 Fred Penner's Place		4:00
2 100 Huntley Street	10:30	2 The Bold & The Beautiful
3 Mr. Dress Up		3 Batman
12 Mr. Dress Up		11 Bewitched
3 Mary Tyler Moore	11:00	12 The Judge
11 Morning Magazine		4:30
12 Babar		2 The Young & The Restless
	11:30	3 Gilligan's Island
		11 Head of the Class
		12 Newhart
		5:00
		3 Leave It To Beaver
		11 Cheers
		12 Kate and Allie
		5:30
		2 Global News
		3 Total News
		11 Night Court
		12 Golden Girls

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TV Ontario

Mon., Jan. 7		Tues., Jan. 8	
6:00	Renovating: The Inside Story	6:00	Personal Financial Management
6:30	Origins: The History Of Canada	6:30	The Middle East
7:00	Academy on Moral Philosophy	7:00	The Successful Landlord
8:00	Polka Dot Door	7:30	Changing Careers
8:30	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi	8:00	Polka Dot Door
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats	8:30	Walking Fit
9:15	Report Canada	9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:20	Readalong	9:15	Report Canada
9:30	Take A Look	9:20	Readalong
10:00	We Live Next Door	9:30	Write Stuff!
10:15	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	9:45	Read All About It!
10:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	10:00	Voyageurs
10:45	More Books from Cover to Cover	10:15	Zardip's Search For Healthy Wellness
11:00	Pop medias	10:30	Zardip's Search For Healthy Wellness
11:15	Science mag	10:45	The Computer Room
11:30	Read All About It	11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:45	Readalong	11:05	Piccoli et Lirabo
12:00	TVO Daytime	11:15	Decouvre ton monde 1
1:00	Let's All Sing	11:30	Free To Fly
1:15	Calling All Safety Scouts	11:45	Readalong
1:30	Report Canada	11:55	Report Canada
1:35	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	12:00	TVO Daytime
1:50	Readalong	1:00	Art's Place
2:00	Read All About It!	1:15	Harriet's Magic Hats
2:15	The Green Earth Club	1:30	Report Canada
2:30	Dear Aunt Agnes	1:35	Nature Watch Digest
3:00	Evolution organique	1:50	Readalong 1
4:00	Cartooning with Yardley Jones	2:00	Telefrancais
4:30	Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy	2:10	Excursions
5:00	Sesame Street	2:15	Readit
6:00	Polka Dot Door		
6:30	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland		
7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show		

2:30	Habitat	4:30	The Successful Landlord
2:45	Shadow Puppets	5:00	Sesame Street
3:00	Homeostasis	6:00	Polka Dot Door
4:00	How to Break 90 in 30 Days	6:30	Join In!
4:30	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi	7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
5:00	Sesame Street	7:30	Hands Over Time
6:00	Polka Dot Door	8:00	Odyssey
6:30	Today's Special	9:00	Human Edge
7:00	Pinwheel	10:30	Authors at Harbour-front
7:30	The Global Family	11:00	Pick 3 Draw
8:00	Speaking Out	11:05	Speaking Out
9:00	Full House With Sharry Flett	12:00	Question Period - Provincial
10:20	Where The Phoenix Flew	1:00	Question Period - Federal
10:40	Piero della Francesca		
10:50	The Narrow Room		
11:00	Pick 3 Draw		
11:05	Imprint		
12:00	Question Period - Provincial		
1:00	Question Period - Federal		

Wed., Jan. 9		Thurs., Jan. 10	
6:00	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi	6:00	The Life Revolution
6:30	The Science Of Architecture	7:00	L'Enfant
7:00	Family Matters	7:30	Mainmise sur la violence
7:30	Sociology	8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:00	Polka Dot Door	8:30	Gestion du troupeau laitier
8:30	Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy	9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats	9:15	Report Canada
9:15	Report Canada	9:20	Readalong
9:20	Readalong	9:30	Telefrancais
9:30	Look Up	9:40	Excursions
9:45	The Magic Library	9:45	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:00	All About You	10:00	Habitat
10:15	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	10:15	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	10:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:45	Readit	10:45	The Green Earth Club
11:00	La Chaine d'idees	11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Bricomagie	11:05	Zooclip
11:25	La Chaine d'idees	11:15	L'Enigme du chene de l'enchantement
11:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	11:30	Free To Fly
11:45	Readalong	11:45	Readalong
11:55	Report Canada	12:00	TVO Daytime
12:00	TVO Daytime	1:00	Write Stuff
1:00	Let's All Sing	1:15	Harriet's Magic Hats
1:15	The Magic Library	1:30	Report Canada
1:30	Report Canada	1:35	Take A Look
1:35	Econ and Me	1:45	Excursions
1:50	Readalong	1:50	Readalong
2:00	Read All About It!	2:00	The Magic Library
2:15	Look Up	2:15	Artscape
2:30	The Kids Of Degraasi Street	2:30	All About You
3:00	Electricity	2:45	Voyageurs
3:30	Pins and Needles	3:00	Electricity
4:00	Adult Math	3:30	Living With Your Teenager
		4:00	Literacy and Disability
		4:30	How Will You Manage?
		5:00	Sesame Street
		6:00	Polka Dot Door
		6:30	Today's Special
		7:00	Heidi
		7:30	The Acme School

8:00	Vital Signs
9:00	Between The Lines
10:00	Prisoners of Gravity
10:30	The Originals
11:00	Pick 3 Draw
11:05	Between the Lines
12:00	Question Period - Provincial
1:00	Question Period - Federal

Fri., Jan. 11

6:00	Changing Careers
6:30	The Space Experience
7:00	The Long Search
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Deutsch direkt
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong
9:30	Nature Watch Digest
10:00	The Science Alliance
10:15	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:45	Storybound
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Piccoli et Lirabo
11:15	Sciences, on tourne!
11:30	The Magic Library
11:45	Readalong
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	TVO Daytime
1:00	Music Box
1:15	We Live Next Door
1:30	Report Canada
1:50	Readalong 1
2:00	Art's Place
2:15	More Books from Cover to Cover
2:30	The Adventures of Black Beauty
3:00	The Mole Concept
3:30	Chinese Brush Painting
4:00	After Sixty-Five: The Best Years
4:30	Personal Financial Management
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
7:30	Money\$worth
8:00	The Science Edition
9:00	Fragile Nature
10:00	Pennies from Heaven
11:00	Pick 3 and Provincial Draws
11:05	Pennies from Heaven
11:30	Prisoners of Gravity
12:00	Question Period - Federal

Sat., Jan. 12		Mon., Jan. 14	
6:00	Polka Dot Door	6:00	Renovating: The Inside Story
6:30	Cucumber	6:30	Origins: The History Of Canada
7:00	Sharon, Lois, and Bram's Elephant Show	7:00	Academy on Moral Philosophy
7:30	Children's programming	8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:00	Polka kDot Door	8:30	Foundations of Taoist Tai Chi
8:30	The Adventures of the Little Prince	9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:00	Pins and Needles	9:15	Report Canada
9:30	French in Action	9:20	Readalong
10:00	Chinese Brush Painting	9:30	Take A Look
10:30	Madhur Jaffrey's Far Eastern Cookery	9:40	Excursions
11:00	Ken Hom's Chinese Cookery	9:45	It Figures
11:30	Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy	10:00	We Live Next Door
12:00	Renovating: The Inside Story	10:15	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
12:30	Psychology: The Study of Human Behavior	10:45	More Books from Cover to Cover
1:00	Saying Goodbye	11:00	Pop medias
2:00	Art of the Western World	11:15	Science mag
3:00	How To Break 90 in 30 Days	11:30	Read All About It
3:30	L.L. Bean Guide to Bicycle Touring	11:45	Readalong
4:00	Write Right	12:00	TVO Daytime
4:30	After Sixty-Five: The Best Years	1:00	Let's All Sing
5:00	Sesame Street	1:15	Calling All Safety Scouts
6:00	Polka Dot Door	1:30	Report Canada
6:30	Voyager: The World of National Geographic	1:35	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
7:30	Desmond's	1:50	Readalong
8:00	Movie: Why Rock The Boat?	2:00	Read All About It!
10:00	Coversations	2:15	The Green Earth Club
10:30	Ontario Lottery Live	2:30	Dear Aunt Agnes
11:00	Movie: Ran	3:00	Equilibre chiminque
		4:00	Cartooning with Yardley Jones
		4:30	Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy
		5:00	Sesame Street
		6:00	Polka Dot Door
		6:30	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
		7:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
		7:30	Common Ground
		8:00	Vista
		9:00	Imprint
		10:00	Artworks
		11:00	Pick 3 & Cleansweep Draws
		11:05	Women & Politics
		12:00	Question Period - Provincial
		1:00	Question Period - Federal

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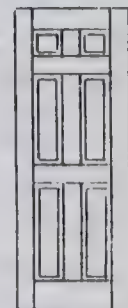
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Haliburton County Home Support Services invites everyone to celebrate "Volunteer's Day".

Date: Friday, January 18, 1991

Time: 12 Noon

Place: PineStone Inn and country Club Ballroom

Cost: \$8.40 for lunch

Guest Speaker: Ms. Mary Brown, Manager, Education Resources Office for Senior Citizen's Affairs

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CARD OF THANKS

My special thanks to all of you! I would like to go back one year ago. Willard & I were both ill, and on several occasions the ambulance drivers were called. Thank you for such prompt and courteous service in getting Willard to the hospital on time. To the wonderful doctors, Tina Moga & Bob Hayes, for their excellent medical skills. It allowed me to share one more year with Willard. To the nurses & staff of Haliburton Hospital for their special care given. To VON Helen Berry and the Homemakers for all the home visits, making life much easier to cope with. To Dewayen & Colleen Simms for being here each day and taking over all the chores we could not handle. To my neighbours for all the visits, calls and help. To Tammy McKelvey & Dewayen Simms for rushing to my side December 16, 1990, and helping me cope until my family could arrive. To Lisa for her friendship & support. To Brenda Hannigan, RN (Oxy-med) for taking such good care of me. This list of wonderful people could go on and on. Please accept my heartfelt thanks. Your kindness and support shall never be forgotten. It is such a comfort living in a small community that has nothing but the best to offer.

A private family memorial service shall be held this spring.

Mary E. Smith,
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Mary E. Smith & family

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HARTLE, ALICE EVELYN - At Extendicare Nursing Home, Haliburton, on Friday, January 4, 1991, in her 72nd year. Dear sister of Kathleen Barnes of Minden, loving aunt of Coleen Virtanen and her family of Sault Ste. Marie and Wayne Hartle and his family of Scarborough.

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